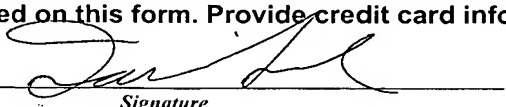
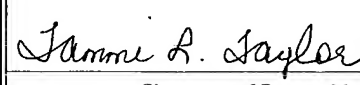


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Invention: FILLER REINFORCED THERMOPLASTIC COMPOSITIONS AND PROCESS FOR MANUFACTURE					
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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.					
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In response to the Office Action mailed January
16, 2007, Applicants amend and remark as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of
claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 11 of this paper.